



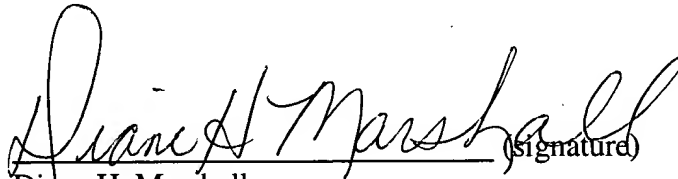
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SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY

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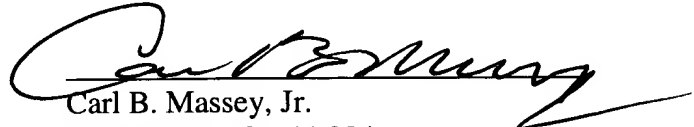
Sir:

In further reply to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2003, Applicants submit the attached Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, by Dr. William J. Oswald, Ph.D. Applicants respectfully request that the Declaration be considered in support of Applicants' previous remarks. Applicants realize that the consideration of this Declaration in conjunction with the previous Reply will depend on the current status of the Examiner's consideration of that Reply. Applicants wish to thank the Examiner in advance for his consideration of this additional submission prior to further action, if possible.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this Supplemental Reply, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the number indicated below.

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